

**JUDGE SULLIVAN**

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA :  
v. :  
HECTOR VEGA, :  
Defendant. :  
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**0.8CRIM 364**

The above-named defendant, who is accused of violating Title 18, United States Code, Section 1951, being advised of the nature of the charges and of his rights, hereby waives, in open Court, prosecution by indictment and consents that the proceeding may be by information instead of by indictment.

Waiver  
Defendant

Helen H. Lewis  
Witness

Paul Madden  
Counsel for Defendant

Date: April 22, 2008

